

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

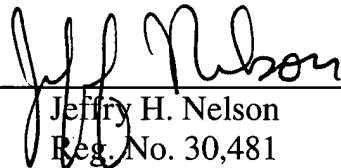
Applicants elect, without traverse, claims 16 to 26 in response to the USPTO restriction requirement. Further, the claims have been amended and claims have been added to more broadly define the elected invention.

All claims are in good condition for allowance. If any small matter remains outstanding, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned. Prompt reconsideration and allowance of this application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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